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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Alex A. Behfar

Application No.: 10/802,734

Group No.: 2828

Filed: 03/18/2004

Examiner: James Vannucci

For: High SMSR Unidirectional Etched Lasers and Low Back-Reflection Photonic Device

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

Applicant is a small entity. A statement was already filed. 2.

EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. 3. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below: 4.

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FEE PAYMENT

5. Attached is a check in the sum of \$350.00.

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FEE DEFICIENCY

6. If an additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 10-1213.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated March 23, 2005, please amend the subject application by amending claims 1, 3, 5 and 7, and by adding new claims 17-30, as follows:

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